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**A**S the Succession to the Dutchies of BERG and JULIERS is an Affair which becomes every Day more important, and excites the Apprehension of the Publick as well as their Expectation, we presume it may be agreeable to our Readers, to enable them to make a Judge of the Pretensions of the different Claimants, by a short, but true State of the Case, instead of the lame and imperfect Accounts that have appeared in News Papers. At the same time we own our Obligation for the following to the *Present State of Germany* (the best that yet published.) Printed for Mr. Rivington in St. Paul's Church-yard.

William, the last Duke of Cleves, Juliers, dying without Issue in 1609, left behind him five Sisters, who were married to the Elector of Brandenburg, the Duke of Neubourg (Ancestor to present Elector Palatine) the Duke of Deux-Monts, and the Marquis of Burgow. The first for married the eldest Sister, claim'd the whole Succession. The second form'd the same Pretension, because the eldest Sister died before her Brother, and his Wife was the Eldest of the surviving Sisters. The other two insisted on an equal Part, to be divided among the four Sisters. Besides the Princess, the Elector of Saxony set on foot an Pretension; and the Duke of Nevers did the same. And last of all, the Emperor pretended those Countries should be sequester'd in his Hands, and disposed of as he judg'd proper. But there was no Regard had to the Emperor's Pretension; and his Son Archduke Leopold, whom he took Possession in his Name, was drove out the Elector of Brandenburg, and the Duke of Neubourg.

These two Princes only, maintained their Claim; the former being assisted by the Dutch, the latter by the Spaniards, who were then in Possession of the Netherlands. The Dutch Army commanded by Prince Maurice of Nassau, and Spanish, by the Marquis of Spinola. So that thing which, perhaps, never before happen'd) States and the Spaniards made War upon one another, in the Name of their Allies, tho' the Peace that had been lately made, still continued between themselves. There was not so much as one given on either Side. The two Armies industriously avoided meeting one another. The Campaigns were spent in taking Towns; so that the diligent of those two great Generals, was he made the greatest Progress. Upon one's getting to a Place, the other did nothing to hinder its being taken; but bent his March full speed to another Place, and seized it, which he kept by Virtue of his being the first Comer.

During these things, a Congress was held at Breda, in order to an amicable Accommodation betwixt the chief Claimants; at which the Ambassadors of France, Great Britain, Spain, and the other General assisted; but this came to nothing. The last Brandenburg and Neubourg made an Agreement, and divided these Dominions betwixt themselves; the former had the Duchy of Cleves, the Counties of Mark and Ravensburg; and the latter, the Dutchies of Juliers and Berg, with a small Territory of Ravenstein.

Under this Agreement the two Electors of Brandenburg and Palatine, have lived quietly ever since. The present Elector Palatine being the last Elect Male Descendant of the House of Neubourg, nominated for his Successor the Prince of Sultzbach, the nearest of Kin to him, by a collateral Branch of the Neubourg Family, which, however, proceeds not from the Lady, by whom the Palatine Family possesses Juliers and Berg. — Indeed this young Prince, strictly speaking, is not related to his Electoral Highness.

The King of Prussia forms his Pretensions of succeeding, in Right of his Maternal Ancestor, on the Failure of Heirs in the Elector Palatine. These Pretensions are strengthened by a Family Treaty betwixt the Houses of Brandenburg and

Neubourg, of mutual Succession to the whole Dominions of the last Duke of Cleves, on the Failure of either of their Male Issue. This Treaty was renewed in 1670. To this last his Electoral Highness perhaps may reply, That his Predecessors could not make such a Treaty, and that he has as good a Right to annul it, as they had to make it. But the particular Reason which is whisper'd at the Palatine Court, why this Family Bargain or Treaty ought not to take Place, will hardly pass, viz. Because it was made over their Cups. If this Reason was good, there are very few Contracts, it is to be fear'd, made, whether in this Country, or in any other, but what would be liable to new Discussion.

To disappoint his Prussian Majesty as far as possible, and to procure to the Prince of Sultzbach, the entire Dominions now united in the Palatine House, his Electoral Highness omits nothing that can be done; and the young Heir being under Age, has named for his Administrator (and perhaps for his Successor, in case he dies before his Majesty) Duke Ferdinand of Bavaria, whose House, and that of Neubourg, are already knit together by Ties of Blood; it is not therefore to be doubted, but the Bavarian House will interpose in this Succession.

The Dutchies of Juliers and Berg, the Countries in Dispute, lying in the Neighbourhood of France and the United Provinces, those two Powers are nearly interested in the Person who shall succeed to them; so that the Issue of this grand Affair does not concern the Germanick Body alone, tho' we may be sure there is not one Member thereof, that is not uneasy at the Thoughts of an unequal Distribution of Power amongst them. This being the Case, according to the present Situation of Affairs in Europe, notwithstanding the Justice of his Pretensions, his Prussian Majesty must rest contented with what shall be given him. Happy if he shall be able to obtain any thing, in the Way of Negotiation; for unless unforeseen Opportunities should offer, 'tis in vain for him to try to do himself Justice by Arms; nor but those Countries are worth fighting for, as they bring in near 200,000 l. to the Elector. But the King of Prussia has neither Ally nor Well-wisher in the present Affair; but, on the contrary, he is surrounded with Neighbours, who are far from being desirous of contributing to the Augmentation of a Power, which already they look upon with a jealous Eye, and think too formidable.

The Author concludes with his private Sentiment, That in the general, it would greatly contribute to the Advancement of the Protestant Interest, and to the strengthening the Barrier of the Empire against France, were those Countries to be possessed by the King of Prussia.

## HOME PORTS.

**Portsmouth, Sept. 20.** Since my last came in the Mary-Sloop, Dunderfeld; from Amsterdam; and the Little Chitty, Long, from Ivica, bound for the Baltick with Salt, who met the Three Friends of and from Dublin, John Ivory, the 1st Instant, about 50 Leagues to the Westward of the Borlings, who had sundry Passengers on board for Leghorn, or rather Soldiers for Gibraltar. His Majesty's Ship the Shoreham, Capt. Boscawen, is come to Spithead from the Eastward. At Spithead now are his Majesty's Ships the Princess Amelia, Kent, Elizabeth, Lenox, Sunderland, Augusta, Portland, Lively, Mahone, Shoreham, Hound, Spy, Terrible, Salamander and Alderney.

On Monday last Alderman Vining was elected Mayor of this Borough for the Year ensuing.

**Deal, Sept. 20.** Wind N. Remain the Prince of Orange Man of War, with the Allen, Allen, for Copenhagen; and the Mary, Perkins, for Hamburgh.

**Gravesend, Sept. 20.** Passed by the Happy Return, Mason, the Lady Juliana, Van Creeken; and the Hope, Duncker, from Hamburgh; the Hope, Nelson; the Concord, Tonnison; the Jane, Heath; the Robert, Richardson, from Norway; the Neptune, Coverdale; and the Hanover Alliance, Major, from Dantzick; the Mary, Coats, from Hudson's Bay;

the Imperial Ann, Stock; and the Mary, Jackson, from Petersburg; the George, Culmer, from Archangel; and the Fortune, Sedger, with one large Whale from Greenland; two more Ships are expected here from the same Place, who had caught Five Whales between them.

## L O N D O N.

The Alexander, Capt. Smith, from Cadiz, bound to Dunkirk, belonging to Berwick, on the 7th Inst. about Four in the Afternoon, ran on a Reef of Rocks near Drake's Island in Plymouth Sound. The Captain of the Strafford Man of War sent out two Boats with 20 Hands, and by the carrying out Anchors heaved her off, and got safe into Plymouth Harbour that Night without much Damage. The Afflictors, during the whole Time, observed too unusual a Cheerfulness in the Faces of the Master and Mate, which gave them Reason to suspect foul Play.

The Betty of Kinsale, Capt. Hayman, is lost on the Coast of Wales.

The Right Hon. Sir Robert Walpole being perfectly recovered from his late Indisposition, waited on his Majesty Yesterday at Kensington, and was most graciously received; afterwards he returned to his House at Chelsea, where 'tis said he will continue till Tuesday next.

Yesterday being St. Matthew's Day, the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, and the Governors of Christ's Hospital, met in the great Hall of the said Hospital, from whence they proceeded to Christ Church and heard a Sermon; after which they went to the Grammar School, and heard an Oration in Latin, and another in English, by the two Head Scholars, in Praise of their Benefactors; after which they returned to the Hall, where an elegant Entertainment was provided for them, according to Custom.

Yesterday was held a General Court of the Bank of England, when a Dividend of 2 3/4ths per Cent. for the half Year, ending at Michaelmas next, was unanimously agreed upon.

On Monday next will be issued out at the Pay Office, Whitehall, 31 Days Subsistence to his Majesty's Forces, from the 24th of September, to the 24th of October, inclusive.

Yesterday the Right Hon. the Countess of Portland came to Town from the Duke of Kent's Seat at Wrex in Bedfordshire, to her House in Privy Garden.

Since Monday last upwards of 150 Sail of Colliers are arrived in the River from Newcastle, and more are daily expected.

Yesterday in the Afternoon a Master Plumber in White Fryars hang'd himself. His Wife drowned herself about 6 Months ago.

The Rev. Mr. Tasker, M. A. is presented to the Rectory of Iddeleigh, in the County of Devon and Diocese of Exeter, a Living worth 300 l. per Ann. void by the Death of the last Incumbent.

Last Tuesday William Middleton of the County of York, Esq; was married to the Hon. Lady Frances Clifford, Daughter to the Right Hon. the Countess of Newburgh, a young Lady of great Beauty and Merit, with a very great Fortune.

Last Friday died at his House at Ferrybriggs, in the County of York, John Lawley, Esq; formerly Captain of a Troop in the Royal Regiment of Dragoons, Scots.

Yesterday Morning a Match was run from Kensington Gravel Pits to Uxbridge, between Mr. Seymour's Grey Gelding, Sweep Stakes, and Mr. Cornforth's Sorrel Gelding, Chance, for 25 Guineas a Side, which was won by Sweep Stakes, by above a quarter of a Mile.

The Report of the Nine Malefactors under Sentence of Death in Newgate, will not be made to his Majesty till after the next Sessions at the Old Baily.

The Right Hon. Sir Charles Wager is greatly indisposed at his House at the Admiralty Office.

Yesterday Morning the Right Hon. the Earl of Godolphin, and several other Persons of Distinction, set out for Newmarket, in order to be present at the ensuing Meeting, which begins on the second of October next.

Casualties,



Casualties, Christnings, and Burials last Week.  
Hanged themselves 2, one buried at Christ Church  
in London, and one at St. Martin in the Fields.  
Killed 2, one buried at St. George in Southwark,  
and one at St. Dunstan at Stepney.

Christned	Males 150	Buried	Males 194
	Females 158		Females 217
	In all 308		In all 411

Decreased in the Burials this Week 55.

Whereof have died,

Under 2 Years of Age	166	Forty and Fifty	31
Between 2 and 5	38	Fifty and Sixty	32
Five and Ten	14	Sixty and Seventy	24
Ten and Twenty	16	Seventy and Eighty	17
Twenty and Thirty	28	Eighty and Ninety	10
Thirty and Forty	34	Ninety and a Hundred	1

High Water this Day	Morning	Evening
at London Bridge	05 12	05 32

Bank Stock 144 5-8ths. India 171 1-half.  
South Sea 102 1-4th. Old Annuity 112 1-half.  
New ditto 110 1-half. Three per Cent. 105 1-4th  
to 1-half. 7 per Cent. Loan 109 5-8ths. Ditto  
5 per Cent. 99 1-4th. Royal Assurance 108 1-4th  
to 1-half. London Assurance 14 7-8ths. Africa  
14. India Bonds 6 l. 16 s. Prem. South Sea ditto,  
2 l. 7 s. Premium. New Bank Circulation 10 s.  
Prem. Salt Tallies 1-half to 2 1-half Premium.  
English Copper 3 l. 5 s. Welsh ditto 15 s. Three  
1-half per Cent. Exchequer Orders 5 1-half per  
Cent. Prem. Three per Cent. ditto 1 5-8ths per  
Cent. Premium. Million Bank 120.

General Post Office, London, Sept. 13, 1738.

WHEREAS the Post Boy carrying the Bristol Mail  
from London, was set upon and robbed by three Men  
on Horseback and one on Foot, about Three of the Clock  
this Morning, between Knightsbridge and Kensington,  
who carried off the BRISTOL, BATH, HEREFORD,  
LEOMINSTER and PRESTON Bays.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to make it pub-  
licly known, that whoever shall apprehend the Persons  
who committed this Robbery, or any of them, will, upon  
Conviction, be intitled to a Reward of Two hundred  
Pounds, besides the Reward by Act of Parliament for ap-  
prehending of Highwaymen; or if any Accomplice in the  
said Robbery, shall make a Discovery of the Persons (or  
any of them) who committed the Fact, such Accomplice  
will be intitled to the said Reward of Two hundred  
Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Postmaster General.

John Jesse, Cl.

General Post Office, Aug. 27, 1738.

WHEREAS the Post Boy carrying the North Mail  
from London, was set upon and robbed by a single  
Person on foot, this Morning between the Hours of Two  
and Three, on this Side Kingsland, near London.

The Post Master General thinks proper to make it pub-  
licly known, that whoever shall apprehend the Person  
who committed this Robbery, will, upon Conviction, be in-  
titled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the  
Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of High-  
waymen; or if any Accomplice in the said Robbery shall  
make a Discovery of the Person who committed the Fact,  
such Accomplice will be intitled to the said Reward of  
Two hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most  
gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Post Master General

John Jesse, Cl.

The Person who committed this Robbery, is described to  
be a middle-sized Man, had on a light colour'd close-bodied  
Coat, with close Sleeves, and a full Bob Wig, pretty light,  
and a Paper Mask over his Face; he carried intirely off  
the Five following Bays, viz. Hertford, Peterborough,  
Horncastle, Louth and Boston, and likewise took the  
greatest Part of the Letters out of the Enfield, Ware,  
St. Ives, and Royston Bays.

N. B. There were likewise two Men at a small Di-  
stance from him, supposed to be his Accomplices.

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Chairs; fine Down, Goose, and other Feather Beds; magnifi-  
cent Peer, Chimney, and Sconce Glasses; some curious Cab-  
inets, Chests and Screens, of the rare old Japan; Tapistry Hang-  
ings, Carpets, and Variety of Desks and Book Cases in Wal-  
nut-Tree and Mahogany; Kitchen Furniture of all Sorts;  
nut-Tree and Mahogany; Kitchen Furniture of all Sorts;  
a large Quantity of fine old China, and other India Curiosities;  
Some curious Paintings by the most celebrated Masters; a  
large Wardrobe of fine Household Linen, and Wearing  
Apparel: Likewise his large and most magnificent Side-board  
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with a large Parcel of Gold and Silver Medals, and Medallions,  
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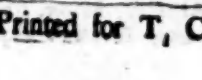
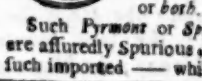
House in the Old Bailey, on Wednesday the 6th,  
Thursday the 7th, Friday the 8th, Saturday the 9th, and  
Monday the 11th of September. Which, among others, will  
contain the Trial of, 1. Joseph Upton, for breaking and enter-  
ing the Dwelling-House of Robert Allen. 2. Henry Fluel-  
len, for robbing Henry Davis in the Strand, near St. Cle-  
ment's Church. 3. Charles Golding, for breaking and enter-  
ing the House of Jane Maria Ward at Hampstead, and steal-  
ing Plate and other Goods. 4. Thomas Raby, for robbing the  
Northampton Waggon. 5. Dean Brian, for stabbing his  
Wife with a Clasp Knife. 6. Edward Bearecock, for robbing  
Mr. Stephen Broughton of his Hat. 7. Sarah Woodcock alias  
Friend of Hell, for robbing Thomas Pulpin on the Highway.  
8. Jonathan Thomas, for High-Treason, in diminishing the  
Gold Coin of this Kingdom. 9. George Whalley, for murder-  
ing his Wife with a Clasp Knife. All of whom were found  
guilty, and received Sentence of Death accordingly.

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